

REMARKS

Entry of this Amendment is respectfully requested. No new matter is added by the Amendment.

Claims 1-63 are in this application, and Claims 47-63 having been withdrawn without prejudice. Applicants expressly reserve the right to pursue any withdrawn matter in subsequent continuation, divisional or continuation-in-part applications.

The Examiner restricted the claim set into four different inventions, with Group I, Claims 1-46, drawn to a first method for identifying a ligand binding to a target protein kinase; Group II, Claims 47-61, drawn to a second method for identifying a ligand binding to a target protein kinase; Group III, Claim 62, drawn to a third method for identifying a ligand binding to a target protein kinase; and Group IV, Claim 63, drawn to a fourth method for identifying a ligand binding to a target protein kinase.

Applicants elect for examination the claims of Group I, Claims 1-46.

This election is made without traverse.

Applicants respectfully assert that Claims 1-46 are novel, and allowance of these claims is respectfully solicited.

The present application is believed to be in prima facie condition for allowance, and an early action to that effect is respectfully solicited.

Should the Examiner find that there are any further issues outstanding, Applicants hereby request that the Examiner contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below with any questions or comments concerning this application.

Although no fees are believed to be due at this time, please charge any fees, including any fees for extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Respectfully submitted,

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